DETAILED ACTION

1 This action is responsive to the amendment filed on January 29, 2007.

2 The cancellation of claims 27 and 30 is acknowledged. Pending claims are 26, 28-29 and 31-50.

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

3 An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

The application has been amended as follows:

In the claims:

In claim 26, at page 3, in line ~~8~~ 7, delete "and" after the word "acylamino". DL 3-7-06

In claim 45, at page 8, in line ~~13~~ 14, delete "and" after the word "acylamino". DL 3-7-06

In claim 49, at page 10, in line ~~12~~ 13, delete "and" after the word "acylamino". DL 3-7-06

In claim 50, at page 11, in line ~~13~~ 14, delete "and" after the word "acylamino". DL 3-7-06

4 Claims 26, 28-29 and 31-50 are allowed.

STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

5 The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance:

The closest prior art of record (WO 99/66894) and/or (DE 199 36 442 A1) do not teach or disclose a dyeing composition, a process for the oxidation dyeing of keratin fibers or a multi-compartment kit comprising the compound of the claimed formula (I), in which R6 is chosen from linear and branched C1-C4 alkyl radical substituted with at least one radical chosen from